2 March 1992

Mr. & Mrs. Chancey E. Merwin
68885 E. Dabes Road
Montrose CO 81401

Dear Cousins:

We received the sad note about your daughter, Amanda. A mention will be made in the next issue of Milestones. Please accept our condolances.

Perhaps you would like to become members of our Association. Enclosed is a dues notice for your convenience in case you would. You already know about our publications and reunions from your parents, I am sure.

Whether you wish to join or not, please complete and return the enclosed Merwin Family Record sheet. We are particularly interested in the biographies of both of you as shown by the outline on the reverse of the form.

Many thanks,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

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Chancey and Chandra Merwin of Montrose, Colorado, announce their daughter Amanda Lyn Merwin was born on 6/28/91 and was lost to death having been loved deeply on 7/1/91.

Thank you,

~~5430.~~
1309.

Chancey Edwin Merwin
68885 E. Dales Road
Montrose, Colorado 81401

MMA 99

7316. Lisa Margaret [13] Merwin b. 30 Mar 1964 in Pontiac, MI; in 1990 living at 793 Dewey Street, Lapeer MI 48446, a dau. of Katherine Louise Merwin. On 20 Oct 1984 mar. Thavore Thammavongsa b. in Laos by whom she had two children b. in Lapeer, MI:

xxxx. Tashia Marish [14] Thammavongsa b. 14 Mar 1985

xxxx. Dustin Lee [14] Thammavongsa b. 25 Mar 1987

Lisa Merwin Thammavongsa attended in Clio (MI) High School. She is currently employed as a cashier-receptionist at Clark Service Station. (Lisa Merwin Thammavongsa's fam. rec. dtd 1 Apr 1990 & telecon of 1 Apr 1990).

2 April 1990

Mrs. Lisa Merwin Thammavongsa
793 Dewey Street
Lapeer MI 48446

Dear Cousin:

As I promised on the phone last night, here is a draft of your family entry for Vol. 3 of The Merwin Family in North America. Please give me any needed correction.

Best regrads,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

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a dau. of Earl Jay & Katherine (Lahm) Merwin. On 30 Jan 1982 at Timonium, MD, mar. David Charles Hohman b. 11 Jul 1953 in Baltimore, MD, a son of Harry & Jean (Burdette) Hohman. They have no children. (Barbara Merwin Hohman's fam. rec. dtd 8 Mar 1989).

p.266 II (5235) Thomas Robert [11] Merwin b. 26 Feb 1961 in Freeport, NY; in 1989 living at 2 Willow Creek Court, Baltimore MD 21234, a son of Earl Jay & Katherine (Lahm) Merwin.

p.266 II (5236). Gail Elizabeth [11] Mueller (MMA member) b. 30 May 1942; in 1989 living at 18 Maygreen Court, Glendale CA 91206 a dau. of Frederick Otto & Alice Clark (Merwin) Mueller. On 6 Mar 1975 at Carson City, NV, mar. Carl Taggart Nelson b. 20 Mar 1940 in Milwaukee, WI, a son of Carl Taggart & Emily (Reed) Nelson, by whom she had two sons b. in Hollywood, CA:

a. Thomas Taggart [12] Nelson b. 27 Jan 1977
b. Brian Edward [12] Nelson b. 9 Dec 1980

Gail Mueller Nelson graduated in 1969 from California State College, Long Beach. Completed Dietetic Internship at St. Paul-Ramsey Hospital, St. Paul, MN in 1970. Was employed as a dietetian for Kaiser Permanente for six years. She is active in the First United Methodist Church. She is a member of the choir. Also active in PTA, Boy Scouts of America and Glendale Historical Society. Her husband served in the US Army in Germany during the Vietnam War. He attended college for a time and then began employment with the State of California where he worked in a number of departments. He is now employed by Caltrans. He is active in the Masons - Blue Lodge and High Twelve. Also works with Boy Scouts of America.
(Gail Mueller Nelson's fam. rec. dtd 30 Mar 1989; telcon dtd 12 Oct 1989).

p.268 II (4218). Emerson Gould [10] Merwin (MMA member) ... his wife, Adelaide (Burton) Merwin b. 28 May 1916 in New York City; d. 25 Aug 1985 in Southport Manor Convalescent Home, Fairfield, CT; bur. in Oaklawn Cem, Fairfield, CT.
On 15 Feb 1986 at the First Congregational Church of Fairfield, CT, mar. (2nd) Margaret Irene (Kovalsky) Makowski b. 12 Feb 1912 in Beaverdale, PA, a dau. of Andrew & Mary (Doman) Kovalsky
(Milestones #84, Feb 1988; cor. dtd 23 Aug 1988).

p.268 II (4220). Elaine Carolyn [10] Merwin b. 21 Jun 1926_ _ _
Her dau.

5243. Valerie Lynn [11] Nestrick b. 15 Aug 1958; in 1989 living at 2473 W. 253rd Street, Lomita CA 90717. She graduated in 1983 from University of California at Davis with the degree of DVM. Sheis working at Avalon Animal Hospital in Carson, CA.
(Elaine Merwin Nestrick's cor. dtd 18 May 1989).

p.271 II 4228-01. Luella [10] Krebs (aka Elinor Gertrude [10] Cheever) (MMA member) b. 22 Dec 1924 in Tacoma, WA; in 1988 living at 1522 Sunset Lane, Mount Vernon WA 98273. On 16 Aug 1942 at First Baptist Church, Mt Vernon, WA, mar. (1st) Ervin Raymond Blackburn b. 10 Aug 1921 at Mt Vernon, WA; d. in May 1948 and bur. at Mt Vernon, a son of Virgil C. & Sallee (Finley) Blackburn, by whom she had a son b. in

FORM1 (CODE 7316)

PHONE NO (313) 667-2150

MERWIN FAMILY RECORD NAME _____

Full name at birth: Lisa Margaret ~~Gordon~~ (Merwin) Thammavongsa

Address: 793 Dewey St Lapeer Mich Zip 48446

Birth date and place (city & state) 30 Mar 1964 Pontiac MI

Death date and place where buried N/A

First marriage date & place 20 Oct 1984

Second marriage date & place _____

First ~~wife or~~ husband - full name at birth Thavore Thammavongsa

Birth date and place Laos

Death date and place where buried N/A

Spouse's Father ? _____ (name in full)

Spouse's Mother ? _____ (include maiden name)

Second wife or husband - full name at birth _____

Birth date and place _____

Death date and place where buried _____

Spouse's Father _____ (name in full)

Spouse's Mother _____ (include maiden name)

CHILDREN IN ORDER OF BIRTH Given & family name in full	Birth place and date	Death place and date	Married to and date
1. Tashia Mariah Thammavongsa	Lapeer MI 14 Mar 1985		
2. Dustin Lee "	Lapeer MI 25 Mar 1987		
3.			
4.			
5.			
6.			

Please provide your family line back as far as known on the reverse of this form. Give the names of your parents, grandparents, great grandparents, etc., as far as you know.

Return to: Merwyn R. Buchanan, 1733 Blue Bell Road, Blue Bell PA 19422-2117

Lisa was born a Merwin
and was until she was married
in 1984

#(313) 667-2150

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Clark Gas Sta

7319. Suzette Katherine [13] Merwin (MMA member) b. 8 Mar 1967 in Lapeer, MI: in 1990 living at 1515 Highway Drive, Copperas Cove TX 76522, a dau. of Margaret Ann Merwin. Suzette Katherine Merwin is a single parent who had a dau. b. in the 98th General Hospital, Nurnberg, Bavaria, West Germany:

xxxx. Desiree Kianna Elyssia [14] Merwin b. 3 Feb 1989 weighing 6lbs, 13 ozs.

On 13 Jan 1990 in Lapeer, MI, mar. Robert Floyd White b. 18 June 1968 in Burns, OR, a son of Robert Floyd & Karen Sarilda (Kimsey) White.

Suzette Katherine Merwin graduated in 1985 from Imlay City (MI) High School. She has served 3 years on active duty in the US Army serving in West Germany. Although her daughter was born in a foreign country, she is a US citizen because her mother was in the US Army at the time of her birth. Her husband is in the US Army stationed at Fort Hood, TX.

(Suzette Katherine Merwin's cor. dtd 14 Aug 1989; 18 Sep 1989 & 1 Mar 1990).

Sunday 11 September 1994

MRS sUZETTE M WHITE
103 BIRCH DR
GATESVILLE TX 76528

Dear Cousin Suzette:

Thank you for the information about Desiree's adoption on your dues notice.

Enclosed is a draft of revision to your family entry. Pleae let me know whether there should be any correction of this information.

Best regards,

p.375 III (7319). Suzette Katherine[13] Merwin (MMA member) b. 8 Mar 1967 in Lapeer, MI; in 1994 living at 103 Birch Dr., Gatesville TX 76528, a dau. of Margaret Ann Merwin. Suzette Katherine Merwin is a single parent who had a dau. b. in the 98th General Hospital, Nurnberg, Bavaria, West Germany:

7469. Desiree Kianna Elyssia[14] Merwin b. 3 Feb 1989 weighing 6 lbs, 13 ozs. In 1994, Robert Floyd White legally adopted Desiree as a step parent. Her name changed to Desiree Kianna Elyssia White.

On 13 Jan 1990 in Lapeer, MI, mar. Robert Floyd White b. 18 Jun 1968 in Burns, OR a son of Robert Floyd & Karen Sarilda (Kimsey) White.
(Suzette Merwin White's cor. dtd 12 Sep 1994).

Mr M Chancey E. Merwin
68885 E. Dabes Rd.
Montrose CO 81401

NM 7309

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M.R.B.

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NAME _____ 3 Robert F. White

ADDRESS _____

Suzette K. White
103 Birch Dr.
Gatesville, TX 76528

PHONE NO. (817) 865-1206

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Recd 9/12/94

NOTE: If there have been any births, deaths or marriages, etc., in your family during the past year, please give us the names, dates and places on the reverse side of this form.

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step parent adoption of
Desiree Kianna Elyssia Merwin
by my husband
now Desiree KiAnna Elyssia White

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34 Crestview Drive
Jaffrey, NH 03452

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Robert F. White Jr. $

AME Suzette K. Merwin White

DDRESS 1515 Highway Drive
Copperas Cove Texas 76522

ote: If there have been any births, deaths, marriages, etc., in your family during the past year, please give us the names, dates and places on the reverse of this form

13 Jan 90 Lapeer, Michigan
Suzette K. Merwin married
Robert Floyd White Jr. of
Lakeview Oregon.
Robert is a Seargeant in the
U.S. Army stationed at Ft.
Hood.

Suzette's daughter Desiree Kianna
Elyssia Merwin born 3 Feb 89
349am 6lb 13oz in Nürnberg
West Germany

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6 March 1990

Mrs. Robert Floyd White, Jr.
1515 Highway Drive
Copperas TX 76522

Dear Suzette:

Thank you for your letter dated 1 March and congratulations on your marriage.

Enclosed is a draft of your family entry as it now stands for Vol. III. Please fill in Robert's date of birth, his mother's full name including her maiden name, and the number of years you served in the Army. If you wish to make any corrections or additions, be my guest.

You had me puzzled for a time mentioning Katherine Merwin Rhodes. Finally located the entry for Katherine Merwin Gordon. A copy is enclosed.

I do not understand what you mean that Mary Ann Rhodes is now a part of your family.

Can you give me information about what must be a second marriage for your Aunt Katherine? I wrote her asking her to update her family entry, as I did all persons in the twelfth generation. She did not answer. I am enclosing a Merwin Family Record sheet. Perhaps you can obtain the required information from her or one of her children. I shall not write her again. Also enclosed is are forms for Lisa and Mary Ann. In order to have their family entries in the book, Lisa and Mary Ann must become members of our Association since they were not born with the name Merwin. So, I enclose dues forms for their convenience.

If the girls are interested in joining, I must receive their dues and information before 31 March since I must close the manuscript at that time.

However I write their family entries, they will be subject to your review and corrction. I do not know the family situation. I will write it as it is given to me and you may review it for acceptability.

As to the inclusion of a statement about Robert's adoption of Desiree, I can only include in Vol. III statements about things that have happened - not what is planned. Let me know when it has happened and I shall be pleased to include it.

Twp., MI.
Wilbur Lloyd Merwin had been in data processing in the automobile business.
(Milestones #81, Jan 1987; cor. of Virgil Merwin, Boscobel, WI& Mrs. Wilbur L. Merwin's cor. dtd 30 Dec 1988).

p.836 I (3991). Clarence Edgar (9) Merwin b. 20 Feb 1895; d. 5 Feb 1983 in Palatka, FL
(Mrs. Nancy Merwin Wade's cor. & Milestones Sep 1983).

p. 837 I (3998). Harriet Belle [9] Merwin _ _ _; d. aged 95 years at Normal, IL, 7 Jul 1986. She lived, for a time, in Wyoming where Harriet served as postmaster at Empire, NE, on the Nebraska-Wyoming border. She was a life-long member of the First United Methodist Church of Normal, IL.
(Milestones #81, Jan 1987).

p.929 I (4520)a. Barbara Vera [11] Clark b. 1 Apr 1957 _ _ _ _ and her husband had a son:
Kevin James Whispell b. 16 Jul 1983
(Milestones 72, Feb 1984).

p.965 I (4724). Lewis James [10] Merwin _ _ _ His wife, Irene Edith Gish b. 13 May 1898 in Petosky, MI; d. 25 Jul 1936 in Munising, MI.
(Cor. dtd 14 Jun 1989 from Mrs. George F. Merwin, Detoit, MI).

Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

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xxxx. Desiree Kianna Elyssia [14] Merwin b. 3 Feb 1989 weighing 6lbs, 13 ozs.

On 13 Jan 1990 in Lapeer, MI, mar. Robert Floyd White b. _____ in _____, _ _, a son of _____ _____ & _____ _____ (_____) White.

Suzette Katherine Merwin graduated in 1985 from Imlay City (MI) High School. She is served __ years on active duty in the US Army serving in West Germany. Although her daughter was born in a foreign country, she is a US citizen because her mother was in the US Army at the time of her birth. Her husband is in the US Army stationed at Fort Hood, TX.

(Suzette Katherine Merwin's cor. dtd 14 Aug 1989; 18 Sep 1989 & 1 Mar 1990).

6640. Katherine Louise [12] Merwin b. 13 Dec 1944 in Pontiac, MI; in 1988 living at 14155 N. Dixie Highway, Apt. 21, Clio MI 48420, a dau. of Wayne J & Georgieanna Mae (Murthum) Merwin. On 17 Aug 1969 in Flint, MI, mar. Michael Lawrence Gordon b. 8 Dec 1941 in Harrisburg, PA, a son of Frank & Mary (Connors) Gordon by whom she had three children, the eldest b. in Pontiac, the others in Flint, MI:

7316. Lisa Margaret [13] Gordon b. 30 Mar 1964

7317. Michael Lawrence [13] Gordon b. 2 Aug 1971

7318. Daniel Wayne [13] Gordon b. 18 Feb 1973

Katherine Merwin and her husband were divorced.

She graduated in 1963 from Lapeer High School; attended Mott Community College, Flint, MI; graduated from Radiological Tech., Flint, MI. She is an X-Ray technician.

(Katherine Louise Merwin's fam. rec. & telecon of 27 Apr 1982).

From:
Suzette K. Merwin White
2308 S Lk Pleasant Rd
Attica Mich 48412

1 MAR 90

Dear Merwyn,

I'm so glad I just recieved my copy of Milestones. It had gone to Germany and back.

There is alot of new information I wanted to fill you in on for Vol III.

I have a daughter, whose father I am not married to, Desiree Kianna Elyssia Merwin b. 0349am Friday 3 February 1989 in Nuernberg, West Germany. 6lb 13oz.

I just got married in January to Robert Floyd White Jr of Lakeview Oregon. We were married 13 Jan 1990 in Lapeer, Michigan.

My husband is in the Army and stationed in Ft. Hood Texas.

This is our new address:

1515 Highway Drive
Copperas Cove Texas 76522
(817) 547-0974

I did retain my maiden Merwin
name as a second middle name
for ease in business purposes and because
I have written for 10 years under
that name.

I also have a matter which I
would like to clear up. It is a very
touchy subject but I feel it should
be cleared. My Aunt, Katherine
Louise Merwin, had 4 children,
one which she gave up for adoption.
Marylnn Rhoades. She is my age
and lives in Davison, Mich. She
is now a part of our family but the
matter is touchy. If you need further
information I think you should contact
her personnally.

Also, Lisa Margaret (Merwin)
Thammavongsa, Kathy's daughter,
has two children, I'm not sure if
their births have been recorded.

I did retain my maiden Mercier
[illegible] as a second middle name
[illegible] business purposes and because
I have written for 10 years under
that name.

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would like to clear up. It is a very
touchy subject but I feel it should
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[illegible] which she gave up for adoption.
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[illegible] a part of our family but the
[illegible] is touchy. If you need further
[illegible] I think you should contact
[illegible] personally.

Also Lisa Margaret (Mercier)
[illegible] Kathy's daughter,
[illegible] two children. I'm not sure if
[illegible] births have been recorded.

Tashia Mariah Thammavongsa b 1985
and Dustin Lee Thammavongsa b. 1987
Lisa was married in 1984 to Thavone
Thammavongsa.

Suzette K Merwin White

MaryAnn Rhoades 23 June 1967
(Katherine Louise Merwin [redacted] daughter)

Lisa Margaret (Merwin) Thammavongsa
`Tashia Mariah Thammavongsa
'Dustin Lee Thammavongsa

Tashia Bn. 14 Mar 85 Lapeer, Mich
Dustin Bn. 25 Mar 87 Lapeer Mi

P.S. Could you leave out the part or statement that it's a correction and maybe just put the new correct information?

If you need any more help with this please feel free to contact me.

Suzette

P.P.S.

Robert will be adopting Desiree as soon as possible. She is still a Merwin, but I am not sure how you record this information. Will it be necessary to inform you when the adoption is complete?

19 September 1989

Ms. Suzette K. Merwin
E Co., 123Spt Bn
APO NY 09068

Dear Cousin:

Welcome to the Miles Merwin Association! We hope you will enjoy your membership. Enclosed are the latest issue of Milestones, the Association booklet, the October 1988 Members Address List, and an order form for copies of our publications.

Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

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PREPARATION OF THE FAMILY GENEALOGY

As indicated above, the core activity of the Association has been and still is work on the genealogy of the Merwin family in North America (many of the descendants of Miles [1] emigrated to Canada). This got underway shortly after the founding of the Association when Miles W. [9] Merwin, Margaret [9] Merwin Patch and her sister, Rachel [9] Merwin, pooled their genealogical resources which they had been accumulating over the years. Material had also been assembled by various other genealogists, including Donald Lines Jacobus, the eminent Connecticut genealogist who was himself a Merwin descendant. This latter, incidentally, is credited with having straightened out certain confusions which had arisen regarding the record for the first five generations of the Merwin family.

In 1964, the Association decided to work toward the issuance of a comprehensive genealogy of the descendants of Miles [1] in the male lines. As a first step the cooperation of the Connecticut Historical Society was sought because of its interest in early Connecticut history. They welcomed the project and gave their whole-hearted support to it, including assistance in raising the necessary financing. They required, however, that the work be managed by a professional genealogist, so the Association retained the services of J. Crawford Hartman, retiring Editor of the Record of the New York Genealogical and Biographical Society. He standardized the format of the genealogy along the lines followed by the Society and arranged the information assembled by the various contributors in an acceptable style. In 1967 the late Merle C. [9] Merwin (MFNA 3656) and his wife, Margaret, took over responsibility for

7319. Suzette Katherine [13] Merwin b. 8 Mar 1967 in Lapeer, Mi; in 1989 living at E Company, 123rd Spt Bn, APO NY 09068, a dau. of Margaret Ann Merwin. Suzette Katherine Merwin is a single mother who had a dau. b. in the 98th General Hospital, Nurnberg, Bavaria, West Germany:

xxxx. Desiree Kianna Elyssia [14] Merwin b. 3 Feb 1989 weighing 6lbs, 13 ozs.

Suzette Katherine Merwin graduated in 1985 from Imlay City High School, ~~Attica~~ Imlay City, MI. Sheis currently (1989) on active duty in the US Army serving in West Germany. Although her daughter was born in a foreign country, she is a US citizen because her mother was in the US Army at the time of her birth.

(Suzette Katherine Merwin's cor. dtd 14 Aug 1989).

22 August 1989

Suzette K. Merwin
E Co., 123rd Spt Bn
APO NY 09068

Dear Suzette:

Thank you for your letter of 14 August.

Enclosed is a draft of your entry for The Merwin Family in North America, Volume III. Please fill in the blanks and make any change you wish. This is your entry.

To join our Association, just send me a check for $10 to cover your first year's dues. I will then send you information about the Association and forms to obtain copies of our publications.

Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

7319 (13)

& Lela (Edwards) Bryan, by whom he had six children, the first b. in Little Field, TX, the second in Dalhart, TX, the third & fourth in Boise City, OK, the fifth in Dalhart, TX, the sixth in Boise City, OK:

+7064. Rose Lee [12] Merwin b. 25 Jul 1952
+7065. Nancy Jo [12] Merwin b. 9 Feb 1954
+7066. Jerry Don [12] Merwin b. 27 Jun 1956
+7067. Kathy Lynn [12] Merwin b. 12 Aug 1957
+7068. Helen Elaine [12] Merwin b. 29 Sep 1958
7069. Mary Ellen [12] Merwin b. 25 Sep 1960; in 1989 living at 1311 N. Oklahoma St., Guymon OK 73942. She mar. _____ Beury. Nothing further is known about this family.

Mamie Jo Merwin had a child by another man:

Lela Ann Bryan b. 15 Jan 1948 in Matador, TX. She mar 25 Jun 1977, David A. Parlier.

(Melvin Ernest Merwin's fam. rec. furnished by Mamie Jo Bryan Merwin 22 Jul 1982).

6008. Doris June [11] Merwin b. 21 Jul 1936 in Dalhart, TX; in 1989 living at POB 237, Gorham KS 67640, a dau. of James Wesley & Nancy Maude Carman (Green) Merwin. On 11 Aug 1953 in Great Bend, KS, mar. Miles E (initial only) Anthony b. 2 Apr 1932 in Claremore, OK, a son of Belton & Maude (Jones) Anthony, by whom she had two sons, the first b. in El Paso, TX, the second in Grants, NM:

7070. James Mdiles [12] Anthony b. 3 Jan 1953
7071. John Henry [12] Anthony b. 29 Feb 1959

Doris Merwin Anthony adopted a girl b. in Hosington, KS:

7072. Sandra Maubin [12] Anthony b. 24 Oct 1975

Doris Merwin Anthony attended school in Boise, OK. She has been a cook at Ramada Inn for ten years. Her husband is a production foreman at Solar Petroleum.

(Doris Merwin Anthony's fam. rec. & telecon dtd 23 Jul 1982).

6009. Samuel Enoch [11] Merwin b. 3 Jun 1938 in Dalhart, TX; in 1989 living at POB 92, Cheyenne OK 73628, a son of James Wesley & Nancy Maude Carman (Green) Merwin. On 29 Apr 1965, mar. as her second husband, Frances Butler b. 29 Apr 1938 in Jacksonville, TX, a dau. of Emmett & Louise (Kenny) Butler, by whom he had two sons, the first b. in Fort Stockton, TX, the second in Great Bend, KS:

7073. Bill Wesley [12] Merwin b. 18 Dec 1967
7074. Scott Edward [12] Merwin b. 29 Dec 1969

His wife had four children by her previousl mar.: Troy, Glenda, Samuel Lee, and Debra Brown.

Samuel Enoch Merwin attended school in Boise City, OK. He is currently employed as an oil field hand.

(Samuel Enoch Merwin's fam. rec. and telecon dtd 8 Jul 1982).

6011. Donald Keith [11] Merwin b. 18 Jun 1945 in Houston, TX; in 1989 living at POB 216, Ozona TX 76943, a son of James Wesley & Nancy Maude Carman (Green) Merwin. On 24 Dec 1970, mar. Sammie Lee Bulter of unknown parentage, by whom he had three children:

7075. Tina Lea [12] Merwin b. _____
7076. James Wesley [12] Merwin b. _____
7077. Nancy Maude Carman [12] Merwin b. _____

6012. Judith Lynn [11] Merwin b. 15 Jun 1950 in Alamartha, MO; in 1989

14 Aug 89

Suzette K. Merwin
E Co 123rd Spt Bn
APO NY 09268

Mr. Merwyn R. Buchanan
733 Blue Bell Rd
Blue Bell
PA 19422-2117

Dear Mr. Buchanan,

Recently I went home on leave and found a letter concerning Vol III of the Merwin Family in North America. It was addressed to my mother, however as she has not responded to this, I am.

I have misplaced the sheet with the information on it. As I remember it was correct. However, there is a new member to the Merwin family. I have a 6 month old daughter.

I'm not sure what information you want so I'll just give you the following:

Desiree Kianna Elyssia Merwin
Friday 3 Feb 1989 0349 am
6lb 13ozs in
98th General Hospital
Nürnberg, Bavaria Germany (West)

Being an active duty USA soldier stationed overseas, she was born here but is an American citizen.
I am unmarried so I don't feel her fathers information is important.
In the future, could you please include me in your correspondence? I am interrested in joining the Assoc. and obtaining copies of our family's publications.

Thank you so much. I hope this is not too late.

My mother is

Margaret A. Merwin
2308 S. Lk Pleasant Rd
Attica Mich 48412

Myself:

Suzette Katherine Merwin
E Co. 123rd Spt Bn.
APO NY 09068

7323. Debra [13] Merwin b. 26 May 1959 in Sandhurst, Surrey, England, bap. 1959 in the Methodist Church of Sandhurst; in 1988 living at 550 Allyndale Dr., Stratford CT 06497, a dau. of David Herman & Millicent May (Barefoot) Merwin. On 4 Feb 1978 in Dowagiac, MI, mar. Charles Alan Serene b. 19 Oct 1952 in Muskegon, MI, a son of Charles Edward & Florette Glenna (Whelphes) Serene, by whom she had a dau. b. at Mountain Home, ID:

7323-01. Victoria Robyn [14] Merwin-Serene b. 17 Sep 1982

Debra Merwin Serene and Charles Alan Serene wer divorced in 1985. On 20 Apr 1985 in Rapid City, SD, she mar. (2nd), as his second wife, George William Picard b. 1 Nov 1946 in Bridgeport, CT, a son of Leo Norman & Irene Elizabeth (Jajosky) Picard, by whom she had two daus. b. in Ellsworth AFB, SD:

7323-02. Ashley Jillian [14] Merwin-Picard b. 4 Sep 1986

7323-03. Morgan Spencer [14] Merwin-Picard b. 22 Jul 1987

Debra Merwin Serene Picard graduated from Dowagiac High School in 1977; joined the United States Air Force on 8 May 1980. She received an honorable discharge from the US Air Force 14 Sep 1987, and is now employed at Santa Fuel, Inc., Bridgeport, CT. George W. Picard joined the US Air Force in Aug 1964 and retired on 1 Oct 1987, and is currently working at Santa Fuel, Inc. he had two children by his first wife:

Cheryl Ann Picard b. 9 Dec 1966

John Michael Picard 19 Nov 1967

Cheryl Ann Picard had a dau:

Alexandria Picard b. 22 Jul 1988

All of Debra Merwin Picard's children were renamed to show the surname prefixed by "Merwin-" as shown above.

(Debra Merwin Serene's fam rec dtd 21 Mar 1981 & cor. dtd 9 Dec 1982; Milestones #76, Aug 1985; Milestones #84, Feb 1988; cor. dtd 12 Oct 1988).

Dear Merwyn,

Thanks for answering me so quickly

I'm sorry about the mis information

Charles Serene & I were divorced in 1985

George & I were married in april (20) 1985

all the other information is correct.

Thanks

Love

Debra

12 October 1988

Mrs. George W. Picard
550 Allyndale Dr.
Stratford CT 06497

Dear Debra:

Thank you for the updating of your family record. A revised draft is enclosed.

One question. You give the year of your divorce as 1988, but the date of your second marriage is 1985?

You did not receive Milestones because you failed to give us your new address and newsletters mailed to your old address were not forwarded. Enclosed is the latest one. If you missed others, let me know and I shall send them to you.

By copy of this letter, I am asking our Treasurer, Gaius Merwin, to let you know how much you owe for dues so that you may get your account current.

Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

7323

24 October 1024

Mrs. Sophia M. Pierce
320 Alleyvale Dr.
Stratford CT 06433

Dear Sophia:

Thank you for the updating of your family record. A revised chart is enclosed.

One question. You give the year of your divorce as 1085, but the date of your second marriage is 1085?

You did not receive Bluestone because you failed to give us your new address and requested mailing to your old address was not forwarded. Contact is the lifeblood one. If you change address, let me know and I would send them to you.

By copy of this letter, I am asking our Treasurer, Celina Mercado, to let you know how much you owe for dues so that you may use your account current.

Best regards,

Marcia H. Buchanan
Genealogist

jkzz

7323. Debra [13] Merwin b. 26 May 1959 in Sandhurst, Surrey, England, bap. 1959 in the Methodist Church of Sandhurst; in 1988 living at 550 Allyndale Dr., Stratford CT 06497, a dau. of David Herman & Millicent May (Barefoot) Merwin. On 4 Feb 1978 in Dowagiac, MI, mar. Charles Alan Serene b. 19 Oct 1952 in Muskegon, MI, a son of Charles Edward & Florette Glenna (Whelphes) Serene, by whom she had a dau. b. at Mountain Home, ID:

7323-01. Victoria Robyn [14] Merwin-Serene b. 17 Sep 1982

Debra Merwin Serene and Charles Alan Serene wer divorced in 1988. On 20 Apr 1985 in Rapid City, SD, she mar. (2nd), as his second wife, George William Picard b. 1 Nov 1946 in Bridgeport, CT, a son of Leo Norman & Irene Elizabeth (Jajosky) Picard, by whom she had two daus. b. in Ellsworth AFB, SD:

7323-02. Ashley Jillian [14] Merwin-Picard b. 4 Sep 1986

7323-03. Morgan Spencer [14] Merwin-Picard b. 22 Jul 1987

Debra Merwin Serene Picard graduated from Dowagiac High School in 1977; joined the United States Air Force on 8 May 1980. She received an honorable discharge from the US Air Force 14 Sep 1987, and is now employed at Santa Fuel, Inc., Bridgeport, CT. George W. Picard joined the US Air Force in Aug 1964 and retired on 1 Oct 1987, and is currently working at Santa Fuel, Inc. he had two children by his first wife:

Cheryl Ann Picard b. 9 Dec 1966

John Michael Picard 19 Nov 1967

Cheryl Ann Picard had a dau:

Alexandria Picard b. 22 Jul 1988

All of Debra Merwin Picard's children were renamed to show the surname prefixed by "Merwin-" as shown above.

(Debra Merwin Serene's fam rec dtd 21 Mar 1981 & cor. dtd 9 Dec 1982; Milestones #76, Aug 1985; Milestones #84, Feb 1988; cor. dtd 12 Oct 1988).

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3 October 1988

Mr. & Mrs. George W. ~~Pickard~~ PICARD
550 Allyndale Dr.
Stratford CT 06497

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Will you please give me any needed addition or correction?

Your help will be appreciated.

Best regards,

Merwyn

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

7323

Dear Merwyn,
my grandma Mary Louise told me you were going to contact me.
As you can see I have made some changes since I last wrote, I have another addition to our family.
I wish to delete the details that I have crossed through, on the attached page, concerning my ex-husband Charles Serene.
Please note that all my daughters have been given my maiden name of Merwin, including Victoria Robyn Merwin-Serene.
I haven't received my mile stones in some

time & was wondering why, how that my address has been updated could you send it to me? also I need to pay my due, It was good to hear from you again

Debra

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xxxx. Ashley Jillian [14] Merwin-Picard b. 4 Sep 1986

Debra Merwin Serene Picard graduated from Dowagiac High School in 1977; joined the United States Air Force on 8 May 1980. ~~and is currently a medical service specialist at Mountain Home Air Force Base. Charles Alan Serene left Muskegon Heights High School to join the United States Air force. In Nov 1970, he received his G.E.D. He has been stationed at Mountain Home Air Force Base since Jun 1971 as an immunization and allergy specialist in the hospital.~~

(Debra Merwin Serene's fam rec dtd 21 Mar 1981 & cor. dtd 9 Dec 1982; Milestones #76, Aug 1985; Milestones #84, Feb 1988).

XXXX morgan SPENCER MERWIN-PICard
She was born July 22nd 1987 - born Ellsworth AFB S.D.

Debra RECEIVED AN honorable Discharge from the U.S. A.F, 14 Sept 87, and is now employed at ~~[illegible]~~ Santa Fuel, Inc, In Bridgeport Ct -

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George W. PICard Joined the U.S. AirForce, Aug 1964. and retired on Oct 1st 1987 - and is currenty working at Santa Fuel Inc, in Bridgeport Ct - George has 2 children by his first wife

CHERYL ann PICard - 9 Dec 1966
John Michael PICard - 19 Nov 1967

Cheryl has a daughter
ALEXANDRIA PICARD - July 22, 1988

all residing with us.

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1988

Mr M George N. Pickard
1102 Rockhill
Rapid City SD 57701

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3 October 1988

Mr. & Mrs. George W. Pickard
550 Allyndale Dr.
Stratford CT 06497

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Will you please give me any needed addition or correction?

Your help will be appreciated.

Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

7323

Sept 23-88

Dear Cousin-

Glad to hear from you.

Helena is Mrs George Picard
550 Allyndale Dr.
Stratford- Ct.
06497

All the Mewins in our family are fine

Writing is a mess as I have been ill for 2½ yrs and not gaining much-

Best always.

Mary Louise Mewin

19 September 1988

Mrs. Mary Louise Merwin
57175-M 62-E
Dowagiac MI 49047

Dear Cousin:

Will you please give me the current address of your granddaughter, Debra Pickard? A letter addressed to her at 1102 Rockhill, Rapid City SD 57701 was returned by the post office indicating that it was not deliverable as addressed.

We are in the process of writing Volume III of The Merwin Family in North America and I must write them to update their family entries.

Thank you and best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

7323

14 March 1988

Mr. & Mrs. George W. Picard
1102 Rockhill
Rapid City SD 57701

Dear Cousins:

As you know, we are updating our genealogical records in order to publish volume III of The Merwin Family in North America.

Enclosed is your family entry which I would like you to revise and correct as necessary.

Thank you and best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

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(13)

7323~~41~~. Debra[13] Merwin (MMA member) b. May 26, 1959 in Sandhurst, Surrey, England, bap. July 1959 in the Methodist Church of Sandhurst; in 198~~1~~2 living at 339 Birch Street, Mountain Home ID 83647. On Feb 4, 1978, mar. in Dowagiac, Mich., Charles Alan Serene b. Oct. 19, 1952 in Muskegon, Mich., a son of Charles Edward & Florette Glenna (Whelphes) Serene, ~~They have no children.~~ by whom she had a Debra Merwin Serene grad. from Dowagiac Union High School in 1977; joined the U.S. Air Force on May 8, 1980 & is currently a medical service specialist at Mountain Home Air Force Base. Her husband left Muskegon Heights High School to join the U.S. Air Force. In Nov. 1970, received his G.E.D. He has been stationed at Mountain Home AFB since June 1971 as an immunization and allergy specialist in the hospital. (Debra Merwin Serene's fam. rec. of Mar. 21, 1981 & cor. of Dec. 9, 1982).

dau. b. in Mountain Home:

a. Victoria Robyn[14] Merwin b. Sept. 17, 1982

dau. of David Herman & Millicent May (Barfoot) Merwin

7325

THOMAS AND ALISON (MERWIN)
STONECIPHER OF POPLAR BLUFF, MO.
ANNOUNCE THE BIRTH OF A SON,
TIMOTHY DAVID, BORN 20 DECEMBER 89
GRANDSON OF DAVID AND MILLICENT
MERWIN, MMA MEMBERS OF
DOWAGIAC, MI.
GREAT-GRANDSON OF MARY LOUISE
MERWIN AND THE LATE ORRIN
DAVID MERWIN, MMA MEMBER
ALSO OF DOWAGIAC, MI.

PLEASE NOTE:

NEW ADDRESS:

1204 APPLE STREET
POPLAR BLUFF, MO.
63901

THANK YOU.

Alison M. Stonecipher

7325. Alison May [13] Merwin (MMA member) b. 19 May 1963 in Dowagiac, MI, in 1988 living at 649 E. Leicester #C8, Norfolk VA 23503 a dau. of David Herman & Millicent May (Barefoot) Merwin. On 2 Jul 1988 at Norfolk, VA, mar. Thomas Lee Stonecipher b. 8 Jul 1967 in Poplar Bluff, MO, a son of James Robert & Dorothy sue (Brady) Stonecipher, by whom she had a son b. in the Portsmouth Naval Hospitaql, Portsmouth, VA:

xxxx. Thomas James [14] Stonecipher b. 10 May 1988

Alison May Merwin Stonecipher graduated in 1981 from Dowagiac Union High School, Dowagiac, MI; completed North American Correspondence School course in 1988 with an Associates Degree. She attends the Baptist Church. She is in the US Navy and has the grade and occupation specialty of Seaman. Thomas Lee Stonecipher graduated in 1985 from Poplar Bluff High School, Poplar Bluff, MO. He attends the Baptist Church. He is a Petty Officer 3rd. Class with the occupational specialty of Boatswain's Mate in the US Navy.
(Alison Merwin Stonecipher's fam. rec. dtd 10 Dec 1988 & cor. dtd 20 Dec 1988).

7325. Alison May [13] Merwin b. 19 May 1963 in DOWAGIAC, MI., in 1988 living at 649 E. Leicester #C8, Norfolk VA 23503 a dau. of David Herman & Millicent May (Barefoot) Merwin. On 2 Jul 1988 at Norfolk, VA, mar. Thomas Lee Stonecipher b. 08 JULY 67 in POPLAR BLUFF, MO, a son of JAMES ROBERT & DOROTHY SUE (BRADY) Stonecipher, by whom she had a son b. in the Portsmouth Naval Hospitaql, Portsmouth, VA:

xxxx. Thomas James [14] Stonecipher b. 10 May 1988

Alison May Merwin Stonecipher graduated in 1981 from Dowagiac Union High School, Dowagiac, MI; completed North American Correspondence School course in 1988 with an Associates Degree. She attends the Baptist Church. She is in the US Navy and has the grade and occupation specialty of SEAMAN . Thomas Lee Stonecipher graduated in 1985 from Poplar Bluff High School, Poplar Bluff, MO. He attends the Baptist Church. He is a *~~seaman~~ 3RD Class with the occupational specialty of * in the US Navy.
(Alison Merwin Stonecipher's fam. rec. dtd 10 Dec 1988).

* PETTY OFFICER

* BOATSWAIN'S MATE

MMA member

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(Alison Merwin Stonecipher's fam. rec. dtd 10 Dec 1988).

ALISON MAY MERWIN
MARRIED TO
THOMAS LEE STONECIPHER
JULY 2, 1988
NORFOLK, VA.

THOMAS JAMES STONECIPHER
BORN: MAY 10, 1988
PORTSMOUTH NAVAL HOSPITAL
PORTSMOUTH, VA.

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NAME ALISON MAY MERWIN - STONECIPHER

ADDRESS 649 EAST LEICESTER # C-8

NORFOLK, VA. 23503

Note: If there have been any (births), deaths, (marriages), etc., in your family during the past year, please give us the names, dates and places on the reverse of this form

10 December 1988

Mr. & Mrs. Thomas L. Stonecipher
649 E. Leicester #C8
Norfolk VA 23503

Dear Cousins:

Welcome to the Miles Merwin Association! We hope you will enjoy your membership. Enclosed are the latest issue of Milestones, the Association booklet, an order form for copies of our publications and our new address list of members.

Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist
(215) 646-0231

7325

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21 November 1988

Mrs. Alison Stonecipher
649 E. Leisester, C8
Norfolk VA 23503

Dear Cousin:

As you may know, we are in the process of compiling Volume III of The Merwin Family in North America.

Will you please complete and return the enclosed Merwin Family record form so that you and yours may be included? In addition, we would like you to fill out the biography along the lines of the outline shown below.

Since you were born with the surname Merwin, you will be in Volume III without question. However, we need your support to complete this massive task. Won't you join our Association? Please use the enclosed form.

Best regards,

Merwyn

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

7325

Alison

Name of high school: DOWAGIAC UNION HIGH
Location of high school: DOWAGIAC, MI.
Year graduated: 1981
Name of college: N. AM. CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOL
Location of college: SCRANTON, PA.
Year graduated: 1988
Degree earned: ASSOCIATES
Church attended: BAPTIST
Occupation: UNITED STATES NAVY
Employer: UNITED STATES NAVY

Husband: THOMAS
POPLAR BLUFF HIGH
POPLAR BLUFF, MO.
1985
NONE

BAPTIST
UNITED STATES NAVY
UNITED STATES NAVY

21 November 1988

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Norfolk VA 23503

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Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

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Alison Husband

Name of high school:
Location of high school:
Year graduated:
Name of college:
Location of college:
Year graduated:
Degree earned:
Church attended:
Occupation:
Employer:

1-616-782-2209

28
~~16~~ March 1988

Mr. David H. Merwin~~x~~ (wife Millicent)
57235 M-62 East
Dowagiac MI 49047

Dear Cousin:

Will you please give me the current address of each of your childre?

I must write them to update their family entry for Volume III of MFNA.

Thank you and best regards,

Merwin squirrel Coat of Arms

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

✓ Debra 7323 done

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Norfolk VA 23503 649 East Leiseter LEISESTER

✓ Mark single

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1 May 1989

Mr. Mark Merwin
57235 M-62 East
Dowagiac MI 49047

Dear Cousin:

We are in the process of preparing the manuscript for Volume III of The Merwin Family in North America.

Enclosed is a Merwin Family record sheet. Will you please fill this out and return it to me? Also, fill out a brief biography of yourself and spouse as suggested below.

Since you were born a Merwin, you will be included in Volume III without question. You need not be a member of our Association. However, we would be pleased to have you join to support our efforts and be informed of the doings of Merwins around the globe. Use the enclosed dues form to join.

Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

7326

	you	spouse
Name of high school:		
Location of high school:		
Year graduated:		
Name of college:		
Location of college:		
Year graduated:		
Degree earned:		
Church attended:		
Occupation:		
Employer:		

1 May 1983

Mr. Mark Marvin
5725 N-51 East
Cosmopine MI 49047

Dear Cousin:

We are in the process of preparing the manuscript for volume III of The Marvin Family in North America.

Enclosed is a Marvin Family record sheet. Will you please fill this out and return it to me? Also, fill out a brief biography of yourself and spouse as suggested below.

Since you were born a Marvin, you will be included in volume III without question. You need not be a member of our Association. However, we would be pleased to have you join to support our efforts and be informed of the doings of Marvins around the globe. Use the enclosed dues form to join.

Best regards,

Harvey E. Goodman
Genealogist

Type

Name of high school:
Location of high school:
Year graduated:
Name of college:
Location of college:
Year graduated:
Degree earned:
Church attended:
Occupation:
Employer:

p.376 III (7330) Derrick Allan[13] Merwin b. 27 Apr 1963 in Dowagiac, MI... On 10 May 1995 was divorced from his wife, Cherrell Ann Laird.
(Cor. from Danny and Claudette Merwin).

p.376 III (7330). Derrick Allan[13] Merwin b. 27 Apr 1963 ... In 1993 living at Apt. #5, Indian Hills, 400 Cleveland, Dowagiac MI 49047. He is currently employed at LRV Eastco, Inc., Elkhart, IN, as a line operator. (Mr. & Mrs. Danny Merwin's cor. dtd 13 May 1993).

7330

14 September 1987

Mr. & Mrs. Derrick Allan Merwin
9422 Macon Road
Cordova TN 38018

Dear Cousins:

Thank you for updating your family entry. I am enclosing the rewrite for your review and correction if necessary.

We would be pleased to have you join our Association. All you need do is send me a check payable to Miles Merwin Assn for $10.00 annual dues and I will sign you up.

Best regards,

Mewyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

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15 Vine Street, Apt. 403
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7330. Derrick Allan (13) Merwin b. 27 Apr 1963 in Dowagiac, MI; in 1987 living at 9422 Macon Road, Cordova TN 38018, son of Earl & Claudette Annettie (Dudley) Merwin. On 29 Dec 1982, at _____, mar. Cherrell Ann Laird, a dau. of Wayne _____ & Ruby Nell (Bryant) Laird, by whom he had a two daus., the first b. in John Gaston Hospital, Memphis TN, the second b. in Lee Memorial Hospital, Dowagiac, MI:

a. Cherrell Marie (14) Merwin b. 8 Oct 1984

b. Chrystal Nicole (14) Merwin b. 14 Feb 1986

(Milestones No. 76, Aug 1985 & No. 80, Aug 1986 & cor. of Derrick Merwin).

b. Crystal Nicole (14) Merwin b. 14 Feb 1986

MARRIED AT The home of MR & MRS Boss Bryant
219 South Main Collierville, TN. 38017

dau. of Horace Wayne & Ruby Nell (Bryant) Laird.

I went to Dowagiac Union High School in Dowagiac, Michigan. I graduated in 1981. I entered the United States Army in July of 1981 as a Heavy Equip. Operator, was a Peer Instructor on Heavy Equipment Course. I was discharged in Feb. 1984 I'm presently working at Avanti Industries making fiber Glass boats as a grinder.

my wife went to Shadilong High School in Germantown, TN. Shecompleted the 9th grade. My wife is now a Lovely house wife and mother.

Could you Please send information on how to Become a member of the Miles Merwin Assoc.

Thank you,
MR. Derrick A. Merwin

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1 September 1987

Copy

Mr. Derrick Allan Merwin
9422 Macon Road
Cordova TN 38018

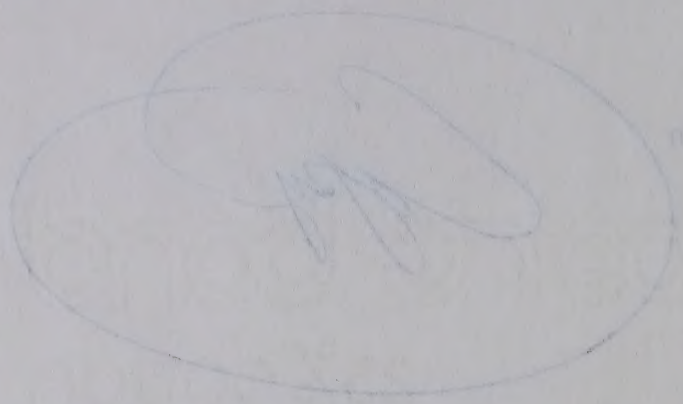
Dear Cousin:

Enclosed is your family entry prepared from the data you sent me in May. Will you please fill in the place of your wedding (City and State) and Wayne Laird's middle name (if any).

I would also appreciated a brief biography of you and Cherrell - name of high school, year of graduation, college attended, degree earned, date, occupation and name of employer, etc.

Many thanks.

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist



May 30, 1987

M/M Derrick Allan Merwin
9422 Macon Road
Cordova TN 38018

Dear Cousins:

Thank you for the family information you sent me in answer to my recent letter to your father.

I have just a couple of questions. What city and state were you born in? I believe it was Dowagiac, MI. Right? Where (city and state) were you married?

To join the Merwin Association, just send me a check payable to Miles Merwin Assn. for $10 annual dues. I will sign you up and send you the latest copy of Milestones, an address list of members and a booklet describing the Association. You will receive our newsletter three times a year and news about the annual renuions and other doings of the group.

Best regards.

7330. Derrick Allan (13) Merwin b. 27 Apr 1963; in 1987 living at 9422 Macon Road, Cordova, TN 38018, a son of DANNY Earl & Claudette Annettie (Dudley) Merwin. On DEC. 29th 82, at 9:30 p.m., mar. Cherrell Ann Laird, a dau. of Wayne Laird & Ruby Nell (Bryant) Laird, by whom he had a dau. b. in Lee Memorial Hospital, Dowagiac, MI:

a. Chrystal Nicole (14) Merwin b. 14 Feb 1986

(Milestones No. 80, Aug 1986).

Dau. of Derrick and Cherrell ann Merwin

a. Cherrell Marie Merwin b. 08 Oct 1984

b. Crystal Nicole Merwin b. 14 feb 1986

Born at John Gaston Hospital
Memphis, TN.

Please send us information on the
Miles Merwin Assoc.

Thank You
Derrick Merwin

Milestones

MILES MERWIN (1623-1697) ASS'N, INC.
592 POND POINT AVE., MILFORD, CONN. 06460

4 April 1987

Mr. Danny Earl Merwin
R2 CR 687
Dowagiac MI 49047

Dear Cousin:

We were trying to update our genealogical records from issues of Milestones and discovered that we do not have a complete record of your son's family.

Enclosed is a draft of his entry. Would you please fill in the blanks or, if you choose, pass this on to him for completion.

Many thanks,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

Milestones

MILES MERWIN (1623-1697) ASS'N, INC.
592 POND POINT AVE., MILFORD, CONN. 06460

p.344 III (7331) Beth Ann[13] Merwin b. 22 Aug 1966... In 1993 living at 405 Oak Street, Dowagiac, MI 49047... On 20 Jun 1992 in Dowagiac, MI, mar. (2nd) Jason Michael Bowers b. 12 May 1967 in Dowagiac, MI, a son of James & Angeline (Handley) Bowers of Berrien Center, MI.
Beth Ann Merwin Bowers is currently employed at Ameriwood Furniture in Dowagiac, MI, as a sales shipping clerk. Her husband, Jason, graduated in 1985 from Eau Claire (MI) High School. He is currently employed at Village Market, Inc., in Decatur, MI, as a meat cutter.
Mr. & Mrs. Danny Merwin's cor. dated 13 May 1993).

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Beth Merwin Cole graduated in 1985 from Dowagiac Union High School, Dowagiac, MI. She is currently employed as a sales clerk at Jessco, Inc. She attends the First Christian Church. Her husband graduated from Three Rivers High School, Three Rivers, MI, in 1985. He is a baker employed by Village Market and he attends the First Church of God.
(Beth Merwin Cole's fam. rec. dtd 29 Jun 1988 & cor. dtd 30 Sep 1988).

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(Beth Merwin Cole's fam. rec. dtd 29 Jun 1988).

	Beth Ann	John
Name of high school:	Dowagiac Union High School	Three Rivers High School
Location of high school:	Prarie Rhonde St. Dowagiac, MI 49047	West Michigan Avenue Three Rivers, MI 49093
Year graduated:	85'	graduated - 85'
Name of college:	—	
Location of college:	—	
Year graduated:	—	
Degree earned:	—	
Church attended:	First Christian Church	the First Church of God
Occupation:	Sales Clerk	Baker
Employer:	Jessco, Inc.	Village Market

Neither of us attended College

18 August 1988

Mrs. Beth Merwin Cole
517 Colby Street
Dowagiac MI 49047

Dear Cousin:

Enclosed is a draft of your family entry for Volume III of The Merwin Family in North America.

Please give me any needed correction and a brief biography of you and John as outlined.

Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

14 August 1964

Mrs. Beck Kurth-Cora
517 Doty Street
Dowagiac MI 49047

Dear Cousin:

Enclosed is a chart of your family entry for volume III of The Berrie Family in North America.

Please give me any needed correction and a brief biography of you and John as outlined.

Best regards,

Harvey R. Buchanan
Genealogist

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(Beth Merwin Cole's fam. rec. dtd 29 Jun 1988).

	Beth Ann	John
Name of high school:		
Location of high school:		
Year graduated:		
Name of college:		
Location of college:		
Year graduated:		
Degree earned:		
Church attended:		
Occupation:		
Employer:		

6 ly 1988

Mr. & Mrs. John Cole
517 Colby Street
Dowagiac MI 49047

Dear Cousins:

Thank you for your Merwin Family Record form.

Enclosed is a form to use to order our publications as you requested.

Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

two eldest children; and sons William James and John B. Witter removed to Salem, Washington County, IN, in Feb 1865. We do not know why they chose to migrate to that particular place except that area of Salem, IN, was the center of a significant Quaker settlement and the Witters were Quakers. By deed dated 11 February 1865, J D purchased the Southwest quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section thirty-four in Township Three North of Range Three East. This was located in Jefferson Township, Washington County, IN. J D purchased the property from one John Attmore "late of the county of Washington in the State of Indiana now of the county of Delaware in the State of Pennsylvania". Accordingly, John Attmore apparently removed from Indiana to Delaware County, Pennsylvania, and then sold his property in Indiana to J D. The entire transaction took place in Philadelphia, and the deed was subsequently recorded (20 May 1865) in Washington County, IN. J D paid six hundred dollars for the property which consisted of forty acres of land together with buildings [7].

His daughter, Margaret Witter Rively, and son, William James Witter, settled there and remained. The U.S. Census of 1870 for Salem, Washington County, IN, shows William James residing with the Thomas & Julielma Morris family. Their dau., Margaret, was William James Witter's wife. The record shows that their son, Charles Thomas Witter, was eight months old at that time. The same census shows Maggie and Wash Rively and their four children living in the same area.

Catherine and Susan Witter, the other two living children of J D and Margaret, did not migrate to Salem with their parents and others in the family. Catherine had married and Susan lived with her sister Catherine Witter Buchanan and family until Susan was married in 1867. We know that J D and his wife lived on the farm in Jefferson Township, until, by deed dated 10 March 1891, they sold their land in Indiana for the sum of $450. The deed was executed in Delaware County, PA, and subsequently recorded in Salem, Washington County, IN. Four years later J D and his wife died in Darby, Delaware County, PA.

CHAPTER ONE REFERENCES

[1] County of Delaware, Clerk of Orphans' Court, Media, PA; death certificate, Docket #1, shows age 79 years and date of death 6-18-1895.
[2] County of Delaware, Clerk of Orphans' Court, Media, PA; death certificate, Docket #1, shows age 84 years and date of death 7-31-1895.
[3] Invalid pension application filed by J.D. Witter 21 Dec 1880.
[4] U.S. Census of 1860, #T-7 roll #243, Delaware County, PA, Leiperville PO, Darby Township. House #412, Family #403.
[5] Promotion document is in possession of Dr. Jasper C. Witter.
[6] Names and birth and death dates shown on page from J.D. Witter's bible given to Merwyn R. Buchanan by Grace Witter Trueblood.
[7] Deed Book G2, p 14 & 15, Washington County, Salem, IN.

(CODE (Space Bank)
(Name Beth Ann (13) Merwin)
(Code number 7331)

MERWIN FAMILY RECORD

Please fill in as much of this form as you can, typing or writing as legibly as possible. Give complete name (not initials) and full dates - month, day and year. Report your sources of information on reverse side of form, using key letters at right below.

MERWIN DESCENDANT - full name at birth Beth Ann Merwin a

Address, if now living 517 Colby St., Dowagiac, MI 49047 b

Names of Merwin ancestors back to Miles 1623, so far as known c

Danny Earl & Claudette A. Merwin, 59870 CR687, d

Dowagiac, MI 49047 : 16832 member volume 2 e

Birth date and place August 22, 1966 : Lee Memorial Hospital f

Baptism date and place g

Death date and place and where buried h

First marriage date and place August 15, 1987 Church of God, 17398 M-86, Three Rivers, MI 49047 i

Second marriage date and place j

First wife or husband - full name at birth John Scott Cole k

Father Daniel Cole Mother, name at birth Kay Noles l

{OF YOUR SPOUSE Birth date and place} July 31, 1967 : Three Rivers Hospital m

Death date and place and where buried n

Second wife or husband - full name at birth o

Father Mother, name at birth p

Birth date and place q

Death date and place and where buried r

Children in order of birth Full given names only	Birth place and date	Death place and date	Married to and date	
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Return to: Mr. Merwyn R. Buchanan, 1733 Blue Bell Road, Blue Bell, PA 19422

Use additional sheets of paper if required.

18 June 1988

Mr. & Mrs. John Cole
517 Colby Street
Dowagiac MI 49047

Dear Cousins:

Your parents just told us of your marriage on 15 August 1987. Belated congratulations!!

Will you please complete the enclosed Merwin Family Record form to give me the necessary genealogical information about both of you? We shall put an mention of your marriage in the next issue of Milestones.

Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

1959 in a similar position at K. Hettleman & Sons, Baltimore, MD; 1959 to 1962, he was a sales engineer for Moffatt Bearing Co., Baltimore, MD. From 1963 until his death in 1968, he was employed as a salesman by Precision Parts and owned, for a time, a coin operated laundromat in Manayunk, Philadelphia. Al was 5'8" tall, weighed 200 lbs, had dark brown hair and blue eyes. He was quite an athlete and played football during his high school days. His main interest was in boating. He was a lieutenant in the Delaware River Power Squadron at the time of his death. Owned a thirty-six foot, twin-screw, Cris Craft cabin cruiser for several years which he used to cruise the Delaware River, Toms River, and the Chesapeake Bay. He was an outgoing, friendly personality who enjoyed people.

+81. Merwyn Russell (5) Buchanan b. 8 May 1919

Albert Earle Buchanan, Sr., was a small, slender, athletic man. He worked for the Pennsylvania Railroad from 7 May 1912 to 24 Mar 1920; was Assistant Traffic Manager for John Lucas & Co. (paints) from 25 Mar 1920 until 10 Apr 1920; employed by Eastern Freight Inspection Bureau 12 Apr 1920 to 16 Sep 1920 when he was employed by the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad Company (later known as Reading Company). He worked there as a Freight Claim Agent until his retirement because of disability in 1944.

He wrote in his diary, "2 Aug 1914 Minnie, Earle and friends took a trip on Stelroy Motor Boat. I took cramps in water and was rescued by Minnie. (Narrow escape)". What happened is that he had sold a canoe and, just after eating a picnic lunch with friends on the beach along the Delaware River, spotted the purchaser paddling the canoe up river. Impulsively, Earle dove into the water and swam to the canoe to chat with the person in it and ask him how he liked the canoe. He allowed himself to be pulled upstream for some distance with the idea that he would have an easy swim back with the current downstream to the beach. In the meantime, several girls, including Minnie, entered the boat and motored upstream toward Earle. He was siezed with stomach cramps and began to struggle to stay afloat. He was a "kidder" and known to be a powerful swimmer; so, when he began to struggle and submerge, the girls in the boat thought he was just pretending to be in trouble. However, Minnie thought otherwise and, at her urging, had them steer the boat over to him whereupon she grasped his arm and held on while they dragged him ashore with the boat since none of them had the strength to pull him aboard. Earle, in later years, joked that he married Minnie because she saved his life.

After their marriage, they lived in various rented houses in the Frankford section of Philadelphia until they purchased a house on 12 Aug 1924 at 218 E. Pine Street, Audubon, NJ. This was an easy commute for Earle by train and ferry to the Reading Terminal at 12th and Market Streets, Philadelphia. In 1929, they returned to Frankford purchasing a house at 1114 Anchor Street near the Oxford Circle. During the Depression, the mortgage was called; and they lost that house and rented a house belonging to Earle's father (1626 Fillmore Street) until Earle's mother could no

August 15th 1987
Beth Ann Merwin daughter of Dannye
and Claudette A. Merwin married
John Scott Cole son of ~~David~~ Daniel
and Kaye Cole of Three Rivers, Mich
in the Church of God in Three
Rivers, Michigan

Their address:

Mr. and Mrs. John Cole
517 Colby Street
Dowagiac, Mi
49047

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G. W. Merwin, Jr.
34 Crestview Drive
Jaffrey, NH 03452

(over)

Rcd on 5-16-88
by Check # 4956

NAME Danny E. Merwin and Claudette A.

ADDRESS 59870 R2 CR 687
Dowagiac, Mi. 49047

Note: If there have been any births, deaths, marriages, etc., in your family during the past year, please give us the names, dates and places on the reverse of this form

June 29, 1988

Dear Sir or Madam,

Could you please send me information on how much it would be to purchase - The Merwin Family of North America; Volume 1 & Volume 2 if it is possible? It would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you very much for your time.

Sincerely,
Beth Ann Merwin Cole

William and Sarah have (3) daughters as listed below:

Thank You

p.377 III (7332). William Orrin[13] Merwin b. 7 May 1971 in Dowagiac, MI... He and his wife, Sarah Jean Becker, had a second dau. b. in Pawating Hospital, Niles, MI:

3rd

7477-01. Amber Marie[14] Merwin b. 9 Nov 1992

In 1993, the William Orrin Merwin family is living at Apt. #12, Hamilton Square, 315 N. LOowe St., Dowagiac MI 49047.

He graduated in 1990 from Adult Education in Dowagiac, MI. He is currently employed at LRV Eastco, Inc. in Elkhart, IN, as a machine operator.

(Mr. & Mrs. Danny Merwin's cor. dtd 13 May 1993).

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1st Daughter
(7477) Savannah Ann Merwin 19 July 1989

2nd Daughter
Christine Danny Lynn Merwin 17 Dec. 1990
Lee Memorial Hospital in Dowagiac, Mi

3rd Daughter
Amber Marie Merwin 9 Nov. 1992
Pawating Hospital in Niles, Mi. 49120

(MMA number)

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xxxx. Savannah Ann [14] Merwin b. 19 Jul 1989

	William	Sarah
Name of high school:	Three Rivers High School	Three Rivers High School
Location of high school:	Three Rivers, Michigan	Three Rivers, Michigan
Year graduated:	~~1989~~ 1990	1988
~~Church attended:~~	none	
Occupation:	none	Fast Food Preperation
Employer:	none	Wendys

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(Beth Merwin Cole's fam. rec. dtd 29 Jun 1988 & cor. dtd 30 Sep 1988).

30 August 1989

Mr. & Mrs. William Orrin Merwin
818 Eight Street
Three Rivers, MI 49093

Dear Cousins:

Your father gave me information about your marriage and Savannah. Congratuations!

Enclosed is a draft of your family entry for Volume III of The Merwin Family in North America as we now have it. Will you please give me any needed correction?

Also fill in a brief biography of both of you as suggested.

Give my best to your parents, William, and particularly to your grandmother, Mary Louise Merwin. She is one of my favorite correspondents.

Best regards,

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Location of high school:		
Year graduated:		
Church attended:		
Occupation:		
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	William	Sarah
Name of high school:		
Location of high school:		
Year graduated:		
Church attended:		
Occupation:		
Employer:		

New Marriage

Married: July 14, 1989 in Three Rivers, Mi. 13

William Orrin Merwin 7332

son of

Danny E. and Claudette A. Merwin
Dowagiac, Mi

and

MMA 90B

Sarah Jean Becker
Three Rivers, Mi.
daughter of
Donald Lee and Mary Jane
(Rokuts) Becker

Married in Three Rivers, Mi

Sarah's Parents:

Donald Lee Becker
Born: Sept. 27, 1950
Kalamazoo, Mi.
married
Mary Jane (Rokuts) Becker
Born: March 27, 1949
of Indiana
on
Oct. 4, 1968

Sarah Jean Becker
was born: Jan. 29, 1970

in Anchorage, Alaska
at Elmendorf Air Force Base

William Orrin and Sarah Jean
(Becker) Merwin live at
818 Eight Street
Three Rivers, Mi.
49093

New Birth

Savannah Ann Merwin
Born: July 19, 1989
in: Sturgis, Mi.
(to)

William Orrin and Sarah
Jean (Becker) Merwin

From: Danny E. Merwin
July 1989

p.377 III (7332). William Orrin[13] Merwin b. 7 May 1971 in Dowagiac, MI ...Divorced his first wife, Sarah Jean Becker, on 4 Apr 1994. He had a son with Ronda Sink Collett, dau. of Jerry and Betty Sink, b. 5:50 AM in Lee Memorial Hospital, Dowagiac, MI:

a. Torrey Kyle[14] Merwin b. 16 Jan 1995

(Cor. from Danny and Claudette Merwin).

FORM MERWIN FAMILY RECORD (CODE 7332)

Full name at birth William Orrin Merwin

Address 57175 M62 E Dowagiac, Mi Zip 49047-9774

Phone Mumber (616) 782 - 6953

Birth date 5-7-71 Place of birth (city & state) Dowagiac, MI

Death date _____ Place where buried _____

First marriage date 7-24-89; place Three Rivers, Mi.
Second marriage date _____; place _____

First wife/husband - full name at birth Sarah Jean Becker

Birth date 1-29-1970; place (city & state) Elmendorf Air Force Base Anchorage, AK
Divorced April 4, 1994
Death date _____; place buried _____

Spouse's father ? (full name) Donald Lee Becker

Spouse's mother ? (include maiden name) Mary Jane (Roberts) Becker

Second wife/husband (full name) _____

Birth date _____; place (city & state) _____

Death date _____; place buried _____

Spouse's father ? (full name) _____

Spouse's mother ? (include maiden name) _____

CHILDREN IN ORDER OF BIRTH Given & family names in full	Birth place and date	Death place and date	Married to and date
1. Savannah Ann Merwin	July 19, 1989 Three Rivers, Mi.		
2. Christine Danny Lynn Merwin	Dec. 17 1990 Dowagiac, Mi		
3. Amber Marie Merwin	Nov. 9, 1992		
4.			
5. Torrey Kyle Merwin	Jan. 16, 1995		
6.			

~~mother Ronda Collett at present time they are living together but~~ not married

Please return form to: Merwyn R. Buchanan, 1733 Blue Bell Road, Blue Bell PA 19422-2117.
Put a brief biography of both husband and wife on reverse side.

	You	Spouse (Becker) Sarah Jean
Correction Name of high school:	Dowagiac High adult Ed 1980	Three Rivers High
Location of high school:	Dowagiac, mi	Three Rivers, Mi
Year graduated:	adult Ed 1980	1978
Name of college		
Location of college		
Year graduated		
Degree earned:		
Church attended:		
Occupation:	Puts - wire harnesses in ambulance	
Employer:	McCoy Miller Elkart, Indiana	

7332. Wm and Sarah were devorced April 4, 1994.

He is currently with Torey's mother Ronda Collett. They are not married at present time.

7330.

Derrick Allan Merwin and Cherrell Ann Laird (married Dec 29, 1982) were devorced May 13, 1995

Its hard keeping up with everything that happens these days. Have a great year! ☺

(7332) William Orrin Merwin

January 16, 1995 at 5:50am a son Torry Kyle Merwin was born at Lee Memorial Hospital in Dowagiac, MI To 7332 William Orrin Merwin and Ronda Collett. He weigh'd 6 lbs 10oz and was 20 inches long.

(6832.) Grandparents are Danny and Claudette Merwin and Jerry and Betty Sink all of Dowagiac MI. [redacted]

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Your check is your receipt.

NAME Danny + Claudette Merwin

ADDRESS 57135 M62 E

CITY: Dowagiac STATE: Mi. ZIP: 49047-9774

PHONE: 616-782-6923

NOTE: If there have been any births, deaths or marriages, etc., in your family during the past year, please give us the names, dates and places on the reverse side of this form.

Over

13 June, 1995

M/M DANNY EARL MERWIN
57175 M 62 EAST
DOWAGIAC MI 49047

Dear Folks:

We were pleassed to receive notice of the birth of Torry and a notice will be inserted in the next issue of *Milestones*.

You told me that the name of the child's mother was Ronda Collett. William must have re-married if I have my facts right. Would you please have him or will you complete the enclosed Merwin Family Record sheet to update his family?

I will appreciate it very much.

Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

7332

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no ans

24 May 1989

Mrs. Charlene H. Reynolds
PO Box 1411
White River Junction VT 05001

Dear Cousin:

Many thanks for your family record. Unfortunately, I can not use the information you supplied in The Merwin Family in NOrth America because you have not joined the Association. Since you were not born a Merwin, you must show enough interest in the Association in order to be in the book.

I am looking forward to receiving your dues so your family may be included.

Sorry to hear of your grandmother's passing. We will record that event in Volume III.

Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

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24 May 1986

Mrs. Charlene R. Reynolds
RD-Box 1422
Spring Brook Junction, VT 06802

Dear Charlene:

Many thanks for your family records. Unfortunately, I can not use the information you supplied in your search. Family in North Adams: Lorraine and Alan have not joined the genealogy club. Since you were not born n Berlin, you also show another interest in the association in order to be in the book.

I am looking forward to receiving more data on your family as it develops.

Sorry to hear of your grandmother's passing. We will remember that event in Yankee life.

Best regards,

Barbara A. Gardner
Genealogist

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FORM (CODE 7389)
MERWIN Family Record: _____

PHONE NO. (___) _____

Full name at birth: CHARLENE MARIE HAYES

Address: PO BOX 1411, WHITE RIVER JUNCTION VT ZIP 05001

Birth date and place (city & state) ~~5 FEB 1959~~ 30 SEP 1956 BUFFALO NY

Death date and place where buried N/A

First marriage date & place 3 SET 1983 White River Jct. VT

Second marriage date & place _____

First Husband (wife) ~~full name~~ at birth: KARL Steven REYNOLDS

Birth date and place (city & state) 5 FEB 1959 Lowell, MA

Death date & place where buried _____

Spouse' Father Robert James Reynolds

Spouse's Mother Janis Merill Reynolds (include maiden name)

Second Husband (wife) name at birth _____

Birth date and place _____

Death date and place where buried _____

Spouse's Father _____ (name in full)

Spouse's Mother _____ (include maiden name)

CHILDREN IN ORDER OF BIRTH Given & family name in full	Birth place and date	Death place and date	Married to and date
1. CARA MARIE REYNOLDS	19 JAN 1985 Lebanon, NH		
2. MELISSA JEAN REYNOLDS	11 FEB 1987 Lebanon, NH		
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Write a brief biography of your family on reverse side - schools attended, military service, occupation, church attended, awards, civic service, etc.

Return to: Merwyn R. Buchanan, 1733 Blue Bell Road, Blue Bell, PA 19422-2117

FORM (code 7247)

BERMUDA FAMILY RECORD: _____ - - -

29 March 1989

Mr. & Mrs. Karl Reynolds
P.O. Box 1411
White River Junction VT 05001

Dear Cousins:

As you may know, we are in the process of writing Volume III of The Merwin Family in North America.

If you would care to have your family included, please fill out the enclosed Merwin Family Record sheet and the dues notice. You must join our Association to be included in the book.

We would welcome you.

Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

7389

6972. Janet Marie [12] Merwin b. 22 Aug 1931 in Fillmore, NY; in 1989 living at 75 Brooklea Drive, East aurora NY 14052, a dau. of Leslie Marcus & Adda Mary (Hodnett) Merwin. On 28 May 1955 in Fillmore, NY, mar. Donald Joseph Hayes b. 14 Apr 1932 in Buffalo, NY, a son of Dennis James & Cecilia Helena (Cary) Hayes, by whom she had five children b. in Buffalo:

7389. Charlene Marie [13] Hayes b. 30 Sep 1956
7390. Colleen Theresa [13] Hayes b. 30 Aug 1957
7391. Douglas James [13] Hayes b. 18 May 1959
7392. Dean Cecil [13] Hayes b. 13 Nov 1961
7393. Carol Jo [13] Hayes b. 8 Sep 1967

Janet Merwin Hayes graduated in 1949 from Fillmore Central High School. She has worked as a secretary for the State University of New York, Bank of America in Los Angeles, and American Airlines. Her husband graduated in 1950 from Bishop Timon High School, Buffalo, NY; in 1971, he was awarded a BS degree in Business Administration by the State University of New York at Buffalo. He is currently employed as a manufacturer's representative.
(Janet Merwin Hayes's fam. rec. dtd 23 Feb 1981; telecon of 1 Jun 1982; cor. dtd 9 Sep 1982).

1. Charlene Marie
   married Karl Reynolds b, 2-5-1959
   Sept. 3, 1983
   1. Cara Marie b. 1-19-1985
   2. Melissa Jean b. 2-11-1987
      P.O. Box 1411, White River Junction, Vt. 05001

3. Douglas James
   will marry Ellen Fitzgerald b. 3-15-1960
   April 1, 1989
   1021 Olean Rd., East Aurora, N.Y. 14052

Note: Adda Mary Hodnett Merwin died June 29, 1988

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6972. Janet Marvin [12] Merwin b. 22 Aug 1931 in Fillmore, NY; in 1969 living at 75 Brookline Drive, East Aurora NY 14052, a dau. of Leslie Marcus & Adda Mary (Hodnett) Merwin. On 29 May 1955 in Fillmore, NY, mar. Donald Joseph Hayes b. 14 Apr 1932 in Buffalo, NY, a son of Dennis James & Cecilia Helena (Cary) Hayes, by whom she had five children b. in Buffalo:

7360. Charlene Marie [13] Hayes b. 30 Sep 1956
7360. Colleen Theresa [13] Hayes b. 30 Aug 1957
7361. Douglas James [13] Hayes b. 18 May 1958
7359. Dean Cecil [13] Hayes b. 13 Nov 1961
7361. Carol Jo [13] Hayes b. 8 Sep 1967

Janet Merwin Hayes graduated in 1949 from Fillmore Central High School. She has worked as a secretary for the State University of New York, Bank of America in Los Angeles, and American Airlines. Her husband graduated in 1950 from Bishop Timon High School, Buffalo, NY; in 1971, he was awarded a BS degree in Business Administration by the State University of New York at Buffalo. He is currently employed as a manufacturer's representative.
(Janet Merwin Hayes's fam. rec. dtd 23 Feb 1981; telecon of 1 Jan 1982; ocr. dtd 9 Sep 1982).

4. Charlene Marie
Married Ward Reynolds b. 2-5-1959
Apt. 1, 1983

1. Cary Marie b. 7-[illegible]-1984
2. Walter Dean b. 7-11-1985
P.C. Box 1411, White River Junction, Vt. 05000

5. Douglas James
Will Harry Allen Fitzgerald b. 3-15-1960
April 1, 1989
1031 Clear Rd., East Aurora, N.Y. 14052

Note: Adda Mary Hodnett Merwin died June 29, 1988

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74167. Geniece Katherine[13] Merwin b. June 23, 1962 in Hettinger, N. Dak.; in 1981 living at Box 47, Haynes ND 58637, a dau. of David Lee & Maris Ann (Shaw) Merwin. On Feb. 10, 1979, mar. in Hettinger, Mark Darrell Papka b. Sept. 4, 1959 in Miles City, Montana, a son of Darrell Leroy & Jo Ann (McMahon) Papka, by whom she had two sons b. in Hettinger:

a. Lance Mark[14] Papka b. Aug. 4, 1979

b. Ryan Michael[14] Papka b. Feb. 15, 1981

(Geniece Merwin Papka's fam. rec. of Oct. 13, 1981).

David Lee + Maris Ann (Shaw) Merwin

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15 September 1989

Mrs. Geniece Merwin Papka
Box 47
Haynes ND 58637

Dear Cousin:

As you may know, we are in the process of updating family entries with the view to preparing Volume III of The Merwin Family in North America.

Enclosed is a draft of your family entry as we now have it. Will you please give me any needed correction or addition?

Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist
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William Winkel b. 3 Aug 1921 in Garden, MI, a son of William August & Maybelle Hannah (Winter) Winkel, by whom she had four children:

6917. Dorothy Mae [12] Winkel b. 27 Oct 1948
6918. Daniel James [12] Winkel b. 14 Jun 1950
6919. David Merwin [12] Winkel b. 8 Dec 1953
6920. Douglas William [12] Winkel b. 12 Aug 1955

On 20 Jun 1970 in Potterville, MI, she mar. (2nd) Milford John Snider b. 29 Jun 1916; d. 9 Feb 1973 & bur. in Lansing, MI, a son of John Henry & Eva G. (Frieskie) Snider. They had no children. On 9 Feb 1974 in Potterville, MI, she mar. (3rd) Lynn H. Kribs b. 27 Sep 1925, a son of Herman & Lulu L. (Davis) Kribs. They had no children and were divorced in Aug 1981. On 30 Jul 1982 in Charlotte, MI, mar. (4th) Eric Henry Shore b. 7 Sep 1927 in Dagenham, Essex, England, a son of Harold Bertram & Rose Jane (Mayes) Shore.
(Lillian Merwin Shore's fam. rec. dtd 25 Aug 1982).

5929. Daniel George [11] Merwin b. 19 Aug 1913 in Chicago, IL; d. 12 Apr 1989 at good Samaritan Hospital, Cincinnati, OH, of cancer; bur. at Spring Grove Cemetery, a son of George Lewis & Nellie May (Carpenter) Merwin. On 11 Nov 1936 in Cincinnati, OH, mar. Louise Eva Pfalzgraf b. 3 Apr 1918 in Cincinnati, a dau. of Elmer Oscar & Mamie Anna (Comberger) Pfalzgraf, by whom he had three children b. in Cincinnati:

+6921. Myrana Louise [12] Merwin b. 16 Oct 1938
6922. Daniel George [12] Merwin b. 6 Feb 1942; d.y.
+6923. Susan Kay [12] Merwin b. 29 May 1945

Daniel George Merwin, Sr., graduated in 1934 from Hughes High School, Cincinnati. He attended the University of Cincinnati for three years which awarded him a Certificate of Business Administration in 1956. In 1958, he was awarded a Certificate of City Management by St. Xavier University. He was Chief Engineer, Water Works Distribution Division, City of Cincinnati Water Works. He retired in 1976 from the Cincinnati Water Works after forty years. In high school, the University of Cincinnati, and the L.B. Harrison Club, he ran track. He held the state record for the half-mile run in the 1930s, a record that stood for several years. Mr. Merwin was a member of Gloria Dei Lutheran Church, and a former board member of the Cross Lutheran Church.
(Daniel George Merwin's fam. rec., telecon dtd 9 Mar 1982, Susan Merwin Lantry's cor. dtd 23 May 1989; obit from The Cincinnati Enquirer, Friday, April 14, 1989).

5930. Reginald Dowd Carpenter [11] Merwin b. 18 Oct 1917 in Chicago, IL; in 1989 living at 7511 Silver Creek Drive, Cleves OH 445002, a son of George Lewis & Nellie May (Carpenter) Merwin. On 24 Jun 1939 in Cincinnati, OH, mar. Louise Edith Frankenstein b. 8 Sep 1918 in Cincinnati, OH, a dau. of Louis & Josephine (Comberger) Frankenstein, by whom he had three chidren, the first two b. in Cincinnati, OH, the third in Fort Lauderdale, FL:

+6924. Constance Eva [12] Merwin b. 31 Aug 1941
+6925. Reginald Dowd [12] Merwin b. 22 Jul 1945
+6926. Marion Louise [12] Merwin b. 30 Sep 1950

Reginald Dowd Carpenter Merwin graduated in 1937 from high school in Cincinnati; he attended the University of Cincinnati and the University of Miami in Fort Lauderdale, FL. He was a mechanical engineer and worked in the field of Toxicology (Atmosphere), designing

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a. Lance Mark [14] Papka b. 4 Aug 1979

b. Ryan Michael [14] Papka

(Geniece Merwin Papka's fam. rec. dtd 13 Oct 1981).

and building cancer research equipment for Young & Bortke Co. where he worked for nineteen years. Although he retired in 1979, he continues as a consultant. For a time he operated his own business in Florida. (Reginald Dowd Carpenter Merwin's telecon 17 Sep 1981 & cor. dtd 9 Sep 1982).

5932. Beatrice Mary [11] Merwin b. 23 Jun 1915 in Hinsdale, IL; in 1989 living at 1401 Millicent Drive, Rockford IL 61111, a dau. of William Eugene & Margaret (Fay) Merwin. On 14 Aug 1934 in Waukegan, IL, mar. Lester Herbert Brooke b. 24 Oct 1911 in Woodstock, IL, a son of Joseph Lewis & Isabell (La Pla) Brooke, by whom she had three childrren, the first two b. in Crystal Lake, the third in Woodstock, IL:

6927. Herbert Douglas [12] Brooke b. 1 Dec 1935
6928. Ralph Eugene [12] Brooke b. 23 Jun 1939
6929. Daniel Lester [12] Brooke b. 17 Sep 1947

(Beatrice Merwin Brooke's fam. rec. dtd 25 Mar 1982).

5933. Douglas Fay [11] Merwin b. 6 Oct 1917 in Ringwood, IL; in 1989 living at 1403 Vanstone Drive, Rockford IL 61111, a son of William Nelson & Margaret (Fay) Merwin. On 22 Jul 1942 in Crystal Lake, IL, mar. Emma Martha Morlock b. 19 Apr 1917 in Reed City, MI; d. 3 Jul 1976 in Rockford, a dau. of Gotlieb & Emma Morlock, by whom he had three children, the first b. in Elgin, the other two in Rockford:

+6930. Jerry Douglas [12] Merwin b. 6 Apr 1943
+6931. Dennis George [12] Merwin b. 4 Aug 1944
6932. Douglas William [12] Merwin b. 12 Jan 1947; d. __ May 1976

Douglas Fay Merwin graduated in 1963 from Crystal Lake High School. He was employed for thirty-seven years as a milkman and bread delivery man and then was employed for four years by Elgin National Watch Co. until his retirement.

5934. Marian [11] Merwin b. abt. 1920 in Kenosha, WI; in 1952 living at 1401 Millicent drive, Rockford, IL 61111, a dau. of William Nelson & Margaret (Fay) Merwin. She mar. James Hoey of unknown parentage, by whom she had a dau. b. in Harvard, IL:

6933. Karen Lee [12] Hoey b. 26 Sep 1941; in 1989 living at 5021 Plantation Rd., Sunmbury OH 43074

(Karen Hoey Ambrose's cor. dtd Mar 1982).

5935. William Eugene [11] Merwin b. 17 Mar 1925 in Waukegan, IL; bap. 19 Feb 1961 in First Assembly of God, San Jose, CA; in 1989 living at 37250 Florida Avenue, Golden Village, Hemet CA 92343, a son of William Nelson & Margaret (Fay) Merwin. On 1 Feb 1949 in Chicago, IL, mar. Marcella Eugenia Fowler b. 2 Aug 1927 in Detroit, MI, a dau. of August C. & Eula Belle (Sharp) Fowler, by whom he had four children, the first b. in Milwaukee, the others in San Jose, CA:

+6934. William Eugene [12] Merwin b. 24 Oct 1950
+6935. Inga Marie [12] Merwin b. 21 Aug 1958
+6936. Menice Marcel [12] Merwin b. 20 Jul 1960
6937. Eric Monroe [12] Merwin b. 7 Jan 1964

William Eugene Merwin attended high school in Clinton, WI. In 1944, entered the US Air Force and served for three years. He is currnetly employed in the Transportation Dept. of the San Jose Mercury News - newspaper. His wife graduated in 1944 from high school in Lutesville,

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___ Lance Mark[14] Papka b. Aug. 4, 1979

___ Ryan Michael[14] Papka b. Feb. 15, 1981

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(Geniece Merwin Papka's fam. rec. of Oct. 13, 1981).

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MILES MERWIN (1623-1697) ASSOCIATION, INC.

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Dear Cousin:

Thank you for the family information you recently sent me. There are one or two remaining problems as indicated by the checkmark below:

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Excellent job! Please give me any needed corrections of the enclosed draft of your family entry and

of you and Mark

(X) A short biography is needed. Include schools attended, degrees earned, occupation, military, civic and church service, etc. Do not include hobbies. (Give full name and location of schools; indicate approximate dates of graduation, military service; grades or ranks attained; names of companies where employed).

Please send your reply to:

Mr. Merwyn R. Buchanan
1733 Blue Bell Road
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Sincerely,

Merwyn

P.S. You two have a couple of the very few 14th generation Merwin children! Fourteenth from Miles Merwin (1623-1697).

(CODE (leave blank) 13)
(Name Geneice Katherine Merwin)
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MERWIN FAMILY RECORD

Please fill in as much of this form as you can, typing or writing as legibly as possible. Give complete name (not initials) and full dates - month, day and year. Report your sources of information on reverse side of form, using key letters at right below.

MERWIN DESCENDANT - full name at birth Geneice Katherine Merwin a

Address, if now living Box 47, Haynes, North Dakota 58637 b

Names of Merwin ancestors back to Miles 1623, so far as known c

David Lee & Marie Ann (Shaw) Merwin d

e

Birth date and place June 23, 1962, Hettinger, N. Dak. f

Baptism date and place g

Death date and place and where buried h

First marriage date and place 2-10-79 Hettinger N.D. (?) i

Second marriage date and place j

First wife or husband - full name at birth Mark Darrell Papka k

Father Darrell LeRoy Papka Mother, name at birth JoAnn McMahon l

OF YOUR SPOUSE Birth date and place 9-4-59 Miles City Montana m
Mark's

Death date and place and where buried n

Second wife or husband - full name at birth o

Father Mother, name at birth p

Birth date and place q

Death date and place and where buried r

Children in order of birth Full given names only	Birth place (?) and date	Death place and date	Married to and date	
1. Lance Mark Papka 14	8-4-79 Hettinger N.D.			s
2. Ryan Michael Papka 14	Hettinger ND 2-15-84			t
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Both the June 1997 and the current, October 1997, issues of Milestones mailed to Ross were returned as undeliverable. The current issue was sent to 2377 Moodie Court in Oakville. Will you please find out for me what his correct address is? I presume you know each other. I called him and left a message, but he has not replied.

My daughter's FAX number is 610-275-2053 if you would care to reply that way.

My best to you and yours,

Merwyn

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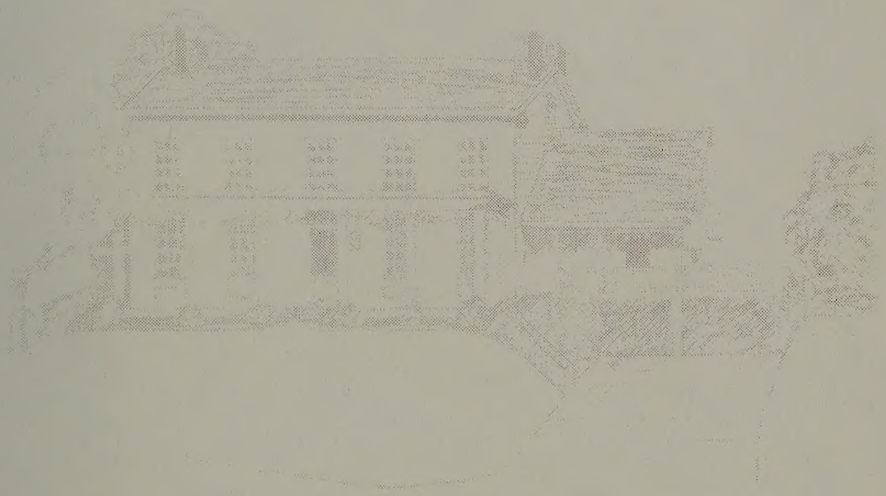

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28 August, 1997

MRS JAMLES H LITTLE
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Dear Cousin:

On 17 July, I wrote you and asked for Ross' correct address so I could send him a *Milestones*. To date, I have had no reply, and it will soon be time to send another issue.

Please give me this information.

Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

17 July, 1997

MRS JAMES H LITTLE
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Dear Charlotte:

We sent *Milestones* to your son, Ross, and it was returned by the post office as undeliverable. The address we used was:

2377 Moodie Court, Oakville, ON Canada L6H 5H1

Please give me his new address or a correction of the above address.

Many thanks,

Best regards,

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Mr. Robert Wayne Wallis
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Dear Cousin:

Welcome to the Miles Merwin Association! We hope you will enjoy your membership. Enclosed are the latest issue of Milestones, the Association booklet, the October 1988 Members Address List, and an order form for copies of our publications.

Enclosed is a Merwin family record sheet. Please complete it and give me a brief biography of yourself and spouse as indicated below.

Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

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	Robert	Spouse
Name of high school:		
Location of high school:		
Year graduated:		
Name of college:		
Location of college:		
Year graduated:		
Degree earned:		
Church attended:		
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